IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of MADDOX, Sean Geoffrey

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 11, 2009 ("Action"), Applicant submits the following Amendments and Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.